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Rejection(s) discussed: All of record				
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Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was discussed: The interview was in regard to an amendment after Final and it was determine the addition of the limitations found in figure 6 with the element 121 being smaller than the element 12 contacting element 13 would require additional searching and draw an advisory action. The applicant does not need to file a summary to the interview other than the interveiw occurred ..

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